

THE FRIEND OF JACK

Many deep sea and nearly all coast-wise sailors know the Rev. S. H. W. Digby, superintendent of the Seaman's Institute of San Francisco. The man who sails the seas in ships has cause to know that, while he is ashore in San Francisco, he can always find comfort, friendliness and helpfulness at the Institute. Supt. Digby is now in Honolulu, and is to be found much of his time at the Seaman's Institute, lower Fort street, where F. W. Everett is in charge. Bishop Restarick of the Episcopal diocese, who has been one of the moving spirits in the success of the local branch, has asked Rev. Mr. Digby to deliver the sermon at the morning service next Sunday in St. Andrew's Cathedral, and the offering on that occasion will be devoted to the local branch.

It was through the efforts of Bishop Nichols of California that the local branch was started. T. Clive Davies is president of it.

"These missions are conducted for the good of sailors," said Rev. Mr. Digby yesterday, "both spiritually and materially. We have branches all over the world. The idea first began in England and has spread to nearly all parts of the globe. People generally think the Seaman's Institute is an English concern, but it is not. The reason for this misapprehension is that the London headquarters trains men for the service, and sends them to all parts of the world. In every Institute the sailor can find various games and he has the comforts for rest and he can read and write and there is also plenty of reading matter at hand.

Then there are lectures and entertainments of various kinds. The object is to keep the sailor interested during his evenings ashore and provide a place for him to remain, instead of visiting places to which he may afterwards wish he had never gone.

"There is generally a savings bank conducted in each Institute for the benefit of seamen. Last year at the San Francisco branch we banked \$11,000 for sailors.

"The local institute is maintained by local subscriptions, and I am sure from all I hear that it is doing good work. The Institute has made successful war on crimps, especially in San Francisco. The Institute there does not hesitate to go into the courts and secure convictions."

"Socker."

Excitement is running high amongst the lovers of the great English game and when the Punahou and Maile soccer football teams meet on Saturday to play off their second game the grounds should be filled to the gates.

This is the second time that these teams have been tied for first honors. When they meet this time there will be no more ties. At a meeting of the association yesterday it was agreed that in case the game was an even thing at the end of the second half an extra period of 15 minutes must be played to decide the contest. This will save all disputes such as occurred on last Saturday, when the Mailes refused to continue play at the end of the second half.

Both teams have been doing hard work every night this week and each means to be in the best possible shape when the referee's whistle sounds for the kick off.

The teams will be composed of the following players:

Mailes—McIntire, Anderson, White, Bailey, Center, Guild, McGill, Beardmore, Harwood, Cumming, Catteral and Spalding.

Punahou—A. Catton, Judd, Soper, McCarriston, Clark, Blackman, Waterhouse, Campbell, R. Catton, J. Catton and Cockburn.

Officials—D. W. Anderson, Geo. Desha and J. W. Waldron.

Great Golf.

Some of the Honolulu golfers are becoming quite expert at the game and if they continue to improve it is hard to tell just what they will be doing on the links.

On Sunday last at the Moanalua links Angus and Ross played Giffard and Sinclair a match, resulting in the following score:

Angus and Ross.....43-39—82
Giffard and Sinclair.....43-39—82

Although their strokes were the same, on holes Giffard and Sinclair won 2 up and 1 to play.

This is the very best foursome score ever made on the course.

On the same day Harold Giffard made two rounds in 37-42-79. This defeats all records of the course by 3 strokes. Giffard has made one round or 9 holes in 35, making a 4 on each hole but one, and that in a 3.

Basketball.

On Saturday night the final game for the championship will be played off at the Y. M. C. A. The games will be between the Diamond Heads vs. High Schools, Kinaua vs. Koko Heads.

These games are attracting unusual attention and the gym is filled with spectators every Saturday night to watch the interesting play.

THE MAILS.

Mails are due from the following points as follows:

San Francisco—Per Alameda, March 16.

Yokohama—Per China, March 9.

Colonies—Per Sonoma, March 21.

Victoria—Per Moana, Mar. 11.

Mails will depart as follows:

Victoria—Per Aorangi, today.

San Francisco—Per China, March 9.

Colonies—Per Moana, March 11.

Yokohama—Per Siberia, March 15.

WHAT THIS MAN SAYS

Only Reechoes the Sentiment of Thousands in Our Republic.

The Honolulu reader is asked to thoroughly investigate the following. This can readily be done as the gentleman whose statement is published below will be only too pleased to give minute particulars to anyone enquiring not out of idle curiosity but if the enquirer really suffers from any of the consequences which always attend weakened or inactive kidneys. Read carefully what this gentleman has to say:

Mr. J. D. Conn, of this city, is a carpenter by trade, and is employed at the Oahu railroad. "I was troubled," says Mr. Conn, "with an aching back. The attacks occurred periodically for years, and especially if I happened to catch cold. There were also other symptoms which plainly showed that my kidneys were out of order. A short time ago, I heard about Doan's Backache Kidney Pills and the wonderful things they were doing.

Proceeding, then, to Hollister & Co.'s drug store, I obtained some of these. Since taking these pills there is a great improvement in me. I always keep some of the pills on hand now so as to be provided for any contingency. I feel sure if anyone troubled as I was should give Doan's Backache Kidney Pills a fair trial they will not fail to be benefited by them."

Doan's Backache Kidney Pills are sold by all druggists and storekeepers at 50 cents per box (six boxes \$2.50) or will be mailed on receipt of price by the Hollister Drug Co., Honolulu, wholesale agents for the Hawaiian Islands.

Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.

ABOUT PROPOSED NEW SUNDAY LAW

Honolulu, Hawaii, March 7, 1905.

Editor Advertiser: Are the people of Honolulu ready to accept the new Sunday law proposed by the Senate? Or, is it a case of having been caught napping? Have we been indifferent? Are we as alert on this subject as we should be? Have we even read the proposed law? Are we aware that a much more "widely open" Sunday is proposed, and do we really want it that way? And, if we don't, what can we do now, at this late hour, to let the Legislature know our convictions concerning it?

As I understand the situation, Mr. Editor, there are those who wish a change in our Sunday laws. They have accomplished their views thus far, in a straightforward, legitimate manner. Their bill has not only been prepared, and introduced in the Senate, and referred to a special committee, but it has been considered in committee, and reported back, with recommendation for passage (with minority suggestions for change), and this afternoon the Senate acted upon it, making certain amendments, and tomorrow it will come up for its third, or final hearing.

There is one point in the action of the committee, which appears somewhat different from the action of similar committees in preceding, or former Legislatures. Previously, on questions of such character as this, involving the religious and moral, it has been the custom for the special committee having it in charge, not only to throw open its meetings to the public, but, upon occasion, to invite in different ones, who might be specially informed, or who had ideas of value, or convictions, and full, fair opportunity given for expression. The committee has been in a position, through this method, to study not only the subject under consideration to good advantage, but to a certain extent been able to measure the sense of the community as well. I am not aware that the present Senate committee has followed this plan. If its meetings, or meetings, were open to all, was that fact made sufficiently known? Of course it must be, and is, our own fault, that we should assume that the courtesy of former years would, of necessity, be extended now. If we have been asleep we have no right to lay the blame on the committee for not waking us up in time to take a hand in the question. We may be authorized, however, in asking, has the committee acted with any undue haste? And, again, has the Senate also fallen into the same mistake?

While it is too late, so far as the Senate is concerned, the question of a wider "open" Sunday may yet be carefully considered by all before the House takes up its part of the study, if its committee may give the proper opportunity for the public to express itself. Personally, I believe our Sundays have been already sufficiently open. I believe the character of the day, as originally given by The Great Giver for Man, needs no amendment, or enlargement, increasing the opportunities for either labor, or amusement.

Very truly,

W. A. BOWEN.

A GOOD FAMILY LINIMENT.

Every family should be supplied with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. For cuts, bruises, burns, scalds or similar injuries, which are of almost daily occurrence, there is nothing so good. It cools and soothes the wound and not only gives instant relief but brings about a speedy and permanent cure. For sale by all dealers and druggists. Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., Agents for Hawaii.

Lieut. J. R. Slattery, U. S. A., engineering officer on special duty here, returned from San Francisco yesterday with his bride, nee Bradley, of Visalia, Cal. The young couple are at the Alexander Young Hotel.

CHILD IS RUN DOWN BY A CAR

A little Chinese girl, about four or five years of age was struck by car No. 38 of the Rapid Transit line near the corner of King street and Desha Lane yesterday and both her feet were horribly mangled. She was taken at once to the Queen's Hospital by Special Officer Joe Fern and the feet were amputated. Everything was done to save the little one's life, but the shock was too great, and she died just before 11 o'clock last night.

Motorman Strom was in charge of the car, which was running east on King street. As the car approached Desha Lane two Chinese children ran out and started to cross the track. The older of the two crossed in safety, but the little girl was not in time. The motorman applied the brakes and then reversed, dropping his fender, but the child rolled off the fender and her legs went under the wheels.

MR. BALLENTYNE'S STATEMENT.

C. G. Ballentyne, manager of the Rapid Transit Co., gave the following connected account of the accident to an Advertiser reporter yesterday evening: "The accident occurred about 3:30 yesterday afternoon. Car No. 38 was eastbound on King street at Desha Lane. As the car was approaching the lane the motorman noticed a number of children standing on King street at the entrance to the lane.

"Upon the near approach of the car, two of the children ran out diagonally toward town with the evident intention of crossing the track. As soon as the motorman realized the purpose of the children, and when he was about a car length of the lane, he applied the brake, but realizing that the car would not stop in time he dropped his fender and reversed the car.

"The larger of the children, one about seven years of age, crossed the track. The smaller one, following, was picked up by the fender, but rolled off on the makai side with its head outward and its feet on the rail, the front truck passing over them and partly severing them from the body. When the car stopped the child was lying about midway between the front and rear trucks. It was immediately removed, placed in a hack in charge of a police officer and sent to the Queen's Hospital, where the feet were amputated.

"Four passengers on the car, occupying the front vestibule seats, spoke in highest terms of the manner in which the motorman handled his car and the rapidity with which he brought it to a stop. Mr. Strom was the motorman. He is one of the longest in the service of the company and is regarded as one of the most careful and most reliable of motormen.

"Previous to this unfortunate accident we had picked up about eleven children with our fender without injuring one of them."

Mr. Ballentyne further stated that he had tried hard to obtain eyewitnesses of the accident from the street, but the nearest he could come to it was to find some Chinese who had seen the children start across the street. None

TO RAISE REVENUE.

The successful experiment with rubber trees on Maui has led to considerable talk as to the feasibility of planting rubber trees on government land, and removing, as time goes on many of the indigenous trees, such as ohia, etc.

Representative Harris said recently that it would pay the government to plant rubber trees on land which is now used for nothing else but forest land, or which has little or no growth upon it. When the trees attain growth the land could be leased on the basis of the lessees agreeing to pay a certain percentage of the revenue into the Territorial treasury as a government realization.

WRIGHT IS LIVING IN MEXICO UNDER ASSUMED NAME

A private letter received from a Honolulu man at present domiciled in Arizona but who has lately made a trip through Mexico contains this:

"The other day I was pleased to meet J. R. Lewis, formerly with the Oahu Railway and Land Company, whom I knew very well in Honolulu. He has a fine place, is superintendent and traveling engineer of the Randolph system of five railroads in Mexico. One of these roads runs to El Coranea, the big copper mine, and Lewis tells me that HE HAS SEEN W. H. WRIGHT, FORMER TREASURER OF HAWAII. Wright has a good position with the copper company, and has his wife with him. HE IS KNOWN THERE AS 'J. K. BRUCE'.

"Lewis says that Dr. Galbraith is surgeon of the Copper Company, and is doing very well.

"Lewis agrees with me that everything here is higher than in Honolulu, and I have about made up my mind that tales of the excessive prices of living in Honolulu are a slander."

SUICIDED TO ESCAPE THE PRISON

Ah Sing alias Ah Choy, who confessed to having stolen various articles from the Alexander Young Hotel and having taken forty-five dollars from the coat pocket of another employer, Mr. William Brash, will not appear for trial. Neither will he go to jail for his offenses. Preferring death to imprisonment, he committed suicide last night. Tuesday Ah Sing furnished a bond in the sum of one thousand dollars and was released, Judge Whiting appearing as his attorney.

At about 5 o'clock yesterday evening he was found in his room near the corner of Smith and Kekaulike streets very ill. The patrol wagon was summoned and the sick man was taken to the Queen's Hospital, where he was found to be suffering from opium poisoning. In spite of the doctors' efforts, he died within a short time. A coroner's jury was empaneled and viewed the body, which was then removed to the morgue, where an autopsy was performed. The inquest will be held at 11 o'clock this morning.

Ah Sing was very particular about the manner in which he took his life. He took off his old clothes which he had worn in the cell and attired himself in a new suit. New silk stockings he put on and a pair of fine Chinese sandals. Then he took opium from a can which was found, partly full, in his room, and placed it in a bowl. He then ate the stuff with the aid of chopsticks. Having partaken of the fatal dose, he put on his best hat and lay down on his bed in a dignified attitude and prepared for the end. His groans were heard by a policeman and he was taken to the hospital, where he died in convulsions.

Ah Sing was a cook in the Young Hotel for about nine months and was also a room boy for Manager Lake. While he was there numerous things were missed, both from the hotel kitchen and dining room and from the rooms of guests. Among the victims was Judge Galbraith. Detective Hatter was put on the case, but could get no clue. At last Ah Sing was discharged for some minor offense and entered the employ of William Brash. About two weeks later he stole the money which proved his downfall. This was found on him and a search of his possessions revealed enough booty of various kinds to stock a store. Ah Sing admitted the theft of everything that was found, but refused to admit further stealings, although the police suspected him of taking the other things that were missed from the hotel.

MRS. SIDNEY M. BALLOU DIES VERY SUDDENLY

Mrs. Sidney M. Ballou, the wife of the well known attorney, died at the family residence on Judd street at about eleven o'clock yesterday morning. She died in childbirth, very suddenly. The little daughter is living and may survive.

Mrs. Ballou was a daughter of the celebrated Confederate cavalry General, Basil Duke of Kentucky, and a niece of Senator Morgan of Alabama. She was married to Mr. Ballou at Louisville, Kentucky, on December 21st, 1895, and has lived in Honolulu most of the time since her marriage.

The funeral will take place at 2 p. m. today from the family residence. It is understood that cables have been sent, notifying the relatives of Mrs. Ballou of the sad event.

W. E. Rowell, promoter of the Kaula electrical enterprise, had a narrow escape in Waihiua valley last week. His horse fell over a precipice, but he dismounted in time to save himself.

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ASKS FOR ANCHORAGE

Captain Potter of the bark Coronado who came into port Monday morning after standing off during the night, expressed himself yesterday as of the opinion that some anchorage place should be designated by the proper authorities, inside the harbor, for vessels arriving after sundown. On Sunday afternoon the tug Fearless went out to meet the Coronado which was then between Koko Head and Diamond Head. In answer to Captain Potter's query as to whether he would be able to get inside the harbor before sundown, or in time to be boarded by the quarantine officers, the tug captain said he was not sure. Captain Potter said that he did not care to come in and anchor off the harbor, but preferred to stay outside.

"I am not particularly stuck on anchoring outside," said he yesterday. "It's a dangerous place out there if a blow comes on. Now at San Francisco and almost any other American port where there is a harbor vessels are permitted to come into the harbor after sundown, but of course the doctors do not board them, and they are not passed by the doctors until the following morning. No vessel is required to stay outside the Golden Gate because it didn't happen to get inside before sundown.

"Honolulu is the only port that requires vessels to hang about after sundown. I think it would be wise for the authorities to designate some part of the inner harbor as a quarantine anchorage, where they could remain until morning, when the doctors could board and give them pratique."

MEN ARE TRAINING

On Saturday, March 18, one of the greatest athletic meets ever held in the Hawaiian Islands will be pulled off at the Boys' Field. Greater interest is being taken this year than in any previous meet. Every day finds the many athletes busy training for their special events.

The Mailes, Punahou and Kams are all putting in hard licks to get in condition for the championship events. The Mailes are training at the High School grounds; the P. A. C.'s at the college and the Kams on their home field. Even baseball has been forgotten out on the Kams grounds and all possible attention is being given to the track boys. The various athletic committees are being kept busy trying out candidates for the various events, and by the end of the week it will be known definitely who the contestants will be for the final meet.

In the inter-class contest on December 27, the fifth grade won the banner with a total of 52 points. Of these Capt. Wells and J. McCandless earned 40 points. Wells is expected to do 10 flat in the 100 yards. If he can reach this mark he will break all previous records. McCandless is now doing over 5 ft. 6 in. in the high jump and is vaulting 10 feet.

The race of the meet will be the 440 yards. Scharsch, a Kam graduate and the holder of the Island record of 54 sec., has come down from Kaula to defend his title. Akana, the holder of the 100-yard record, 10 2-5 sec., will be there to meet all comers.

It is expected that the Island records for the hammer, the 100 and 220-yard dashes, will be broken. The high jump and pole vault are also in danger.

At a meeting of the Committee on Arrangements last evening, it was decided that the following men act as officials:

Referee—E. B. Turner.
Clerk of Course—S. Livingston.
Scorer—W. A. Anderson.
Starter—J. L. Woods.
Marshal—Lieut. Leslie.
Time Keepers—Wm. Prestige, J. Hopwood, D. B. Renear.
Judges—A. Griffith, Capt. Sam. Johnson, R. O. Reiner, P. Horne, F. Richmond, C. R. Hemenway.

Entries for the various events will close on Wednesday next at 5 o'clock at Woods & Sheldon's.

CABLES TO ROOSEVELT

"I did send a message to President Roosevelt today, asking whether a law had been passed giving the right of appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States from decisions of the Territorial Supreme Court in cases involving \$5000 or more," said Governor Carter yesterday. "As yet I have received no answer."

"What I wanted to know," the Governor went on, "was whether laws that affected us so vitally could be passed in that way, making them riders on appropriation bills. If that has been the practice in Congress, it is not a good practice."

"As for the effect of the law, it does leave us up in the air, in a measure. It leaves us in the air so far as appeals that litigants who have little money may wish to make are concerned. On the other hand, it gives the right of another appeal in big cases. The legal effect is a matter rather for lawyers to discuss, but I do not at all like the way in which this law is said to have been passed."

Very great surprise was expressed by more people than the Governor yesterday at the news contained in the Advertiser in question as a rider to the Judiciary Appropriation bill. Lawyers, especially, deemed it remarkable that an enactment of the kind mentioned could have been worked through Congress and nobody immediately interested in the welfare of the Territory be any the wiser, apparently.

"Where was the Territorial delegate," said a well-known lawyer yesterday, "and where was McClellan. For that matter, where was the representative of the planters. Not that the representative of the planters would have sought to block the passage of the rider of his own initiative. I don't suppose that he would. But when a matter so grave as this was under consideration, it would seem that he should have notified his people here."

MATTHEWMAN MAY RESIGN.

It is said that Judge Matthewman of the Kona Circuit has sent in his resignation, or is about to send it in to the Governor. How much truth there is in the rumor is not clear, because as yet there has been nothing more official about it than the talk of officials. Governor Carter, when asked about the matter yesterday, said: "Some little time ago Judge Matthewman called on me and intimated that it was his intention to resign. Since then he wrote to me a short time ago, stating that he wished to tender his resignation, and wanted to know when he could do so, as he did not wish to affect the term of court by resigning at an inconvenient time. I wrote in reply that he himself was in a much better position to know than I was."

The Governor, however, clearly knew nothing further about it than that, although a report received in the city yesterday from Kona was to the effect that Matthewman had sent in his resignation and that Guy F. Maydwell was an active candidate for the succession.

NUMEROUS ARRAIGNMENTS.

A number of arraignments of men indicted by the grand jury were made before Judge Robinson yesterday. In the case of Ah Wong, charged with selling liquor without license, plea was reserved until Monday.

The case of M. Souza, on a like charge, was passed for the present, defendant not being in court.

Kojira Nakamura, assault and battery, reserved his plea until Monday.

Ah Hoy pleaded not guilty to being a che fa agent, and his case went on the calendar.

Chim Chu Da, Chim Lam and Chim Chee, assault with a weapon, went over until Monday.

Sogawa and Trakoa, Japanese, pleaded not guilty of being che fa agents.

Miguel Ferreira, and Joe Fraga, the last named being now in the reform school, were charged with larceny in the second degree. Ferreira reserved his plea until Monday.

Kawasaki pleaded not guilty of having che fa tickets in his possession.

Bad Blood

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Mr. George Fountain, of Mt. Torrens, So. Australia, sends his photograph and this interesting letter:

"I had a very bad case of eczema. Medical men had told me nothing more could be done. I tried several blood remedies, but without relief. The eruption was over the whole of my body and arms. My friends told me I must try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. To please them, I did so. To tell the truth, I did not have much confidence in it, I had tried so many medicines. To my great surprise, I found that after only one bottle the scales were beginning to disappear. It took just five bottles to make a complete cure. My skin is now perfectly smooth, and not a trace do I have of my former trouble."

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